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*November 21, 2003*

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Patent Application Of:  
Horst Peschel

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: Group Art Unit: 1647

Appln. No.: 09/596,507

: Examiner: Robert Clinton Hayes

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Title: Synthetic Neuronal Tissue Derived From Neuronal Progenitor Cells

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(A))**

Applicant in the above-identified application hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to and including November 21, 2003 for responding to the Office Action mailed July 21, 2003. A Notice of Appeal in response to the Office Action accompanies this petition.

☒ A check in the amount of \$55.00 is enclosed herewith.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (**Billing No. 600574.0001**) as noted below. A duplicate copy is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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